

## Shorts About Service Men

### What the Boys are Doing Here and There

Lee Hunsinger, who enlisted several months ago in the army's engineers, has earned the rating of corporal, he writes to his father here.

Charles Baldwin, former Truckee bookkeeper, who worked for Larry McKelvey, is now stationed in Rhode Island with the Sea Bees where he is doing a swell job.

Pvt. Charles Pierce writes home from New Guinea that in his spare time he is remodeling a Jap bayonet into a practical knife, with an eye on the Japs at the same time. He described the ground as pock-marked with craters from enemy bombs but these holes are useful, he said, in raids, making ideal safety spots. Incidentally Charles is buying War Bonds with his spare pay.

Sailor Angelo Besio is now in the medical corps of the navy, studying in South Carolina. He is the second Truckee boy who was high in first aid work under instructor Frank W. Galennie to be placed in a hospital detachment of the service.

Gino Giovannoni has received his greetings from the President, and expects to be in before the fishing season opens. You know what fishing means to Gino, but he takes it in his stride and promises to catch up with the sport after the more important job is done.

Jimmie Thomas and Augie Esola have left Truckee for the duration, both having passed their exams at the induction center last week. They went to Monterey Tuesday for assignment to permanent outfits.

We have a most interesting letter from Pfc. Phil Kearney down in New Guinea which we will publish in its entirety next week. Phil writes a fine word picture of the island and we know you will be looking for it.

### BALLOTS OUT TO NAME DIRECTORS OF LOCAL GROUP

Ballots will be in the mail soon asking members of the Truckee Chamber of Commerce to select seven directors for the coming year. Accompanying the ballots will be a letter pointing out a few of the varied accomplishments of the local chamber during the past year and urging members to resubscribe their dues so that the urgent program can be continued. A general discussion of the chamber's functions and plans for the summer featured Friday's meeting of the directors.

### ROLL CALL OF K P. TO BE HELD UNDER RESTRICTED PLAN

Because of the restrictions resulting from rationing, the 40th Annual Roll Call of Summit Lodge No. 54, Knights of Pythias, will be greasy curtailed this year, but rather than break the traditional ceremony, the members last week voted to hold a private gathering in the lodge hall May 7, to which members only will be invited.

In the past the roll call program has attracted scores of visitors from all parts of California and Nevada and high lodge dignitaries have participated. This year, however, no effort will be made to attract outsiders because of gasoline rationing and the stress of war activities.

W. M. Englehart, Sr., keeper of records and seal, will notify absent members and will arrange the local observance.

### SPEEDER NABBED BY STATE PATROLMEN

Carl H. Albers, 29, Loyalton, who is employed in Oakland, was cited by officers of the state highway patrol this week for traveling 60 miles an hour. He will appear before Justice of the Peace C. E. Smith.

Sergeant B. W. Reynolds reported his men recovered a car stolen from Josephine M. Ireland of Sacramento. The car was found abandoned near Rainbow Tavern with the gas tank empty. It was not damaged.

### PICTURES SHOWN DURING MEETING OF LOCAL LIONS

Twenty members of the Truckee Lions Club last night enjoyed movies of battle scenes in Russia and the South Pacific shown by William Englehart, Sr. The pictures were of recent actions and proved enlightening to the viewers.

The club directors voted to donate \$60 to the Red Cross War Fund.

Just learned that Otto Frederick arrived back at Camp White about 40 hours behind schedule. He left in good time, but had a bit of trouble with bus and train priorities but won the forgiveness of his C. O., so all is well, he reports.

At last it has happened. On the return address of a letter from Chanute Field we find the inscription CORPORAL Robert Bowers. Nice going and congratulations Bob. Hope you add another stripe soon.

### VOLUNTEERS BUSY IN WAR LOAN BOND DRIVE IN DISTRICT

Volunteer salesmen for the Second War Loan drive met at Bank of America last Thursday and under the direction of Chairman Dick Little outlined a plan to raise Truckee's quota of Nevada County's share of \$650,000.

Little reports that the drive is meeting good results locally but at the same time emphasizes the need for renewed activities and a continued effort if Truckee is to meet its quota.

"The people of Truckee realize the necessity of backing all-out war with all-out purchase of bonds," Little said. "The sale of bonds is necessary to equip and feed our fighting men."

### CSEA DINNER DANCE PROVES SUCCESS AS PROGRAM STAGED

Fifty members and guests of the California State Employees Association were present at the dinner held at Capitol Hall Saturday evening and heard two speakers from Sacramento, well versed in their chosen subjects.

Ray Rusk of Nevada City, regional director of the organization introduced Jack Leam, past president of the CSEA who spoke on the benefits of civil service and the retirement fund system and Paul Cowgill, secretary-treasurer who gave a summary of bills before the legislature beneficial to state employees.

An orchestra from Nevada was well received when a dance was later opened to the public. The dancing continued for several hours and all present voted it an enjoyable evening. A similar event is anticipated in the future.

### LEAMON SELECTED CHIEF OF ANNUAL STAFF AT SCHOOL

James Leamon was been chosen as editor of the Chipmunk staff and will be in charge of the annual high school publication. Other members of the staff include Harry Digesti, business manager; Joyce Reynolds, art editor; Frances Polyanich, literary editor; Dolly Henderson, society editor; Frances Polyanich, dramatic editor; George Kamp, sports editor and Nick Sassarini, joke editor.

### QUESTIONS, ANSWERS FEATURE MEETING OF ROTARY CLUB

A question and answers program featured Monday's meeting of the Truckee-Tahoe Rotary club with Barney Phipps as program chairman.

Each member was asked a question pertinent to his work which he was required to answer. Any other question any member would like to ask was permitted. Fifteen members attended.

The club decided to attend the Rotary Conference in Reno next Monday night, Lloyd Greene presided.

### ATTENTION CALLED TO DELINQUENT DATE FOR TAXES

Elma Hecker, ex-officio tax collector of Nevada County, is calling attention to the fact that the second installment of property taxes for Nevada County is due and payable and becomes delinquent at 5 o'clock next Tuesday, April 20. Unless paid before that time three per cent will be added together with a further charge of 50 cents for each parcel of land separately assessed and for each assessment of personal property.

Lou P. Mohan of Placer County has made the same announcement which effects landowners in the Tahoe area.

### Marriage License

A marriage license was issued in Reno this week to Jerry Gardner, 18 of Truckee, Calif., and Ethel M. Delaney, 18, of Vallejo, Calif.

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### MY PLACE IN THE SUN

By PVT. DOUG BARRETT

(Excerpts from letters from some where in the Alaska Theater).

Today I went for my first ride in a dog-drawn sled. Another G. I. here has learned the art of handling a team of dogs for transport purposes and he took me for a little spin. It was really quite an experience, entailing control solely by voice—the old Missouri "Gee and Haw"—plus a length of willow branch. Because of the early training of the dogs, the longer the branch the faster the pace. It is not necessary to apply the willow directly, just hint that you might. The difference between dogs was explained to me on the run. It seems that larger, slower dogs are used for freight while wirey and rapid dogs are used for covering ground in a hurry with a light load. What is a hobby with men like Harry Johanson in the states is an absolute necessity up here to the natives. The dog team is his only means of locomotion aside from his pedal extremities. Even little tots just walking age can handle a team.

Last night I had a talk with the local Jesuit missionary. It seems he has been in this country for something like 25 years but prior to that he taught at Santa Clara University and before that attended the seminary at Alma, about five miles from the Montezuma Mountain School for Boys. He is an interesting man, quite conversant in lore and history of the territory—especially the northern section. He was telling me of the graves of an English explorer of the 1860's and the first white woman known to Alaska, which are well cared for. He is a well read man and a subscriber to the Manchester Guardian, The London Tablet and the New York Times Book Review. Unfortunately for me, his headquarters are not here and hence all his back copies are likewise missing from the present scene of action.

In reading through the March 26 issue of Yank magazine, I was interested to find that of 143 distinguished service and distinguished flying crosses issued to enlisted men for service beyond the line of duty, California led the list which included men from the 48 states, the Canal Zone, the Philippines and Barcelona, Spain. The Golden State was represented with 22 men; Pennsylvania was second with 13 and Texas third with 10. This list includes only enlisted men and such awards as can be made public. Some were withheld in the interests of military safety but all in all the old home state boys have done themselves proud.

### DRUNK FINED BY TRUCKEE JUSTICE

Ralph H. Boswick, 46, of Alabama was fined \$5 and given a ten-day suspended sentence in the county jail this morning when he appeared before Justice of the Peace C. E. Smith on a charge of violating the county's sobriety ordinance. He was arrested last night by Constable N. F. Dolley.

### SNOW SURVEY IN HIGH COUNTRY IS PROMISING FOR YEAR

On March 30 a party of snow surveyors, headed by Fire Control Assistant James G. Wheeler of the Big Bend district of the Tahoe National Forest, made the annual trip into Wabena and French Meadows. The trip of approximately 39 miles was made in three and one half days. Measurements were taken on four courses: Onion Creek, Wabena Meadow, Deadman Flat and Talbot Camp. Wheeler reports good water content in the snow and feels that the seasonal runoff will be at least normal. There is less snow than normal in the low elevations but the high country packs are sufficient to assure a plentiful supply of water.

Roy Thompson, custodian of Cedars Jorgeson and Dave Welisch, custodian and cook at the Sierra club were members of the party.

### Many Seizures Of Contraband At State Border

#### Truckee Station Active In Interception of Plant Pests and Disease

In its unceasing war against invading insect and plant pests, the state department of agriculture has captured everything from prairie dogs to cotton boll weevils at California's borders, according to a United Press report from the bureau of plant quarantine.

Chief Clerk William Gage of the Truckee quarantine station reports that 819 interceptions of contraband plant material and 831 lots were refused admittance because of pest hazards during 1942.

The state report said more than 11,000 interceptions of contraband plant material were made by inspectors during the year, and nearly 15,000 lots of materials were refused admittance because of pest hazards.

They stopped more than 3,000 host of cotton insects and destroyed many cotton boll weevils and cotton leaf worms, the report said. The Colorado potato beetle, a pest now known to be established in California, was responsible for the rejection of 593 lots of quarantined material.

### ELECTIONS SLATED FOR TRUSTEES IN TRUCKEE SCHOOLS

Elections for trustees in the local high and grammar schools will be held May 21, according to notices being published this week.

Two trustees will be elected on the high school board, the terms of L. A. Greene and V. C. Pearson expiring. One trustee will be chosen for the grammar school as the term of Elden Tonini ends.

Election officers will be Mrs. Cora Maxson, Mrs. Lotta Bryant and Mrs. P. R. Nelson. Polls will be open from 2 to 6 p.m. at the grammar school.

### SOLDIERS NABBED BY GAME WARDEN ON LOCAL STREAM

Game Warden Bill LaMarr reports apprehension of Lieutenant Thomas David Hebb and Sergeant O. L. Westrum, both of Reno, who were fishing on Trout Creek Sunday. The case was turned over to the provost marshal in San Francisco for disposition, LaMarr said.

### JUNK DEALER IS FREED IN THEFT COUNT BY JURY

Elmer Spencer Heward of Reno a junk dealer, after a three day trial before a jury in the federal court at Sacramento, was acquitted of the theft of a 300-foot railway trestle from the Tahoe National Forest in Nevada County near Truckee. The jury returned the verdict in 20 minutes. Heward introduced a canceled check for \$31.80 to show that he had "purchased" the timbers he later sold to a Nevada mining company.

### MOTORISTS ASKED TO AFFIX NEW TABS

Put your 1943 license plate tabs on your car as soon as you receive them from the department of motor vehicles. This request was made today to Truckee and Tahoe owners by Gordon H. Garland, director of the department. Although more than half of all motorists in the state have received their tabs by mail from the department, thousands, Garland said, apparently have neglected to affix them to their license plates in accordance with instructions.

If it is your home that our boys are fighting for, give them the guns, planes, tanks and ships they need. Buy Second War Loan Bonds.

If you want tires in '44 drive under 40 now.

### : Sun : Beams

by WALTER M. BARRETT

We recommend for reading the article by Maurice Zolotow in April 17 issue of the Saturday Evening Post, entitled "The Soothsayer Comes Back." It may reveal to the more thoughtful reader the source of the rumored prediction that the war will not end for several years and certainly shows how much that prediction is worth. Anything that has made such a hit with Hitler should be repugnant to supposedly sound thinking Americans. We do not need seers but doers to get this war won this year. Many well versed fighting men from their storehouses of experience—not guessing or basing their faith in axis-sympathetic soothsayers—have stated that it can be done and we lay our confidence in them.

One of the most sure ways to get the war over soon is to invest heavily in War Bonds. We reiterate that the purchase of U.S. Bonds is not a sacrifice in any sense of the word. It is a clean-cut, smart business move and one which will not only aid the war effort materially but will give participants an opportunity to make investment against lean years. We urge that you buy bonds with every last cent you can possibly spare from your income. You will be helping to end the war soon and at the same time helping yourself in the best and safest investment ever offered.

Frank Kearney was in town Wednesday afternoon displaying well developed radishes (not stuffed) and we have been sticking the thermometer in the soil every day to find out when it is warm enough to seed. Kearney really has a secret in this victory garden idea.

Just 15 more days until the trout fishing season opens here.

### TAHOE NOW UNDER LOCAL RATIONING IN NEW PROGRAM

Under a new setup, residents and certain business places at Lake Tahoe from Meeks Bay to Brockway will come under the jurisdiction of Meadow Lake War Price and Rationing Board at Truckee, Leo F. Schmidt, district administrator and George Kenny, Nevada district office manager met with the local board Tuesday night to outline the new plan. Some Tahoe cases, Schmidt said may be handled directly through the Reno office, but the majority will be serviced in Truckee.

### EASTER VACATION STARTS AT SCHOOLS

The Easter vacation for the local schools will begin Monday, April 19. Classes will be resumed the following Monday, April 26. Several teachers and students have announced their intention to leave town during the holidays.

### NAME DELEGATES TO GRAND LODGE

Mrs. George Kamp and Mrs. Clara Ocker were elected delegates to the Rebekah Assembly which convenes in San Francisco on May 11. Mrs. Kamp has been recommended as the deputy president for District No. 33. Naomi Rebekah Lodge is the only lodge in this district.

### TRUCKEE PAPER IS LISTED AS STATE PIONEER BUSINESS

The Sierra Sun and Truckee Republican was among the California Business Roll of Honor, prepared by the Ghost Town News under the direction of Editor N. F. Wilson of Buena Park. The list embraces all California firms which have been in business 50 years or more.

The book is presented in an interesting manner and should prove of wide interest throughout the west.

### Public Schools Program Will Be Given Here

#### Public Program Friday At Grammar School Auditorium

The program for the 24th annual observance of Public Schools Week in Truckee, sponsored by Truckee Lodge No. 200, F and A. Masons, has been announced by G. E. Hofmann, principal of the high school and the chairman of the lodge committee in charge of the promising affair.

The program at which Hofmann will act as master of ceremonies will be presented at the grammar school auditorium Friday evening at 8 p.m. The public is invited.

The program follows:

1. Salute to the Flag.
2. Song, America, by the audience.
3. Prayer, by Mrs. John Brandlin.
4. Grammar school rhythm band in two numbers under the direction of Mrs. Jack Wolert.
5. Spanish dance featuring Ofelia Dominguez and Loretta Lewis.
6. The Highland Fling with Ofelia Dominguez, Eleanor Dominguez, Marlene Mahne, Alice Waters, Louise Strickland, Bobbie Jean Dolley, Loretta Lewis and Gertrude Waters.
7. Comedy "Fit for Victory," with Yolanda Giovannoni, Jim Preston, Leo Johnson, Kenneth Snider, Grace Bigelow and Colleen Raver.
8. Telephoning the Doctor, by Marilyn Pearson.
9. Mishap's Class. Characters: Joan Pabst, Humbert Ciardella, Billy Campbell, Dorothy Parkhurst, Melvin Ponto, Kenneth Immer, Marilyn Pearson.
10. Song, God Bless America, by the audience.

### FIREMEN PRAISED FOR RESULTS OF FIRE CONTROL HERE

Twenty-two members of the Truckee Volunteer Fire Department and a few local business men were guests of the fire district at a dinner-meeting held at Besio's Restaurant Tuesday night where Chief N. F. Dolley presided. It was the purpose of the meeting, Commissioner F. W. Galennie pointed out in a brief talk, in which he highly praised the department, to enlist more aid in keeping the organization functioning during the time when so many of the young members are absent in the armed forces.

Several of the guests volunteered to assist in filling the ranks pending the return of the regular members.

Commissioner J. H. Bernard called attention to the continued decrease in insurance rates as the result of the efficiency of the department and the excellent equipment available. He deplored the fact that the Gateway Park subdivision was outside the district, although efforts by residents of that area have signified their desire to join.

### MORE ROADS OPEN AS STATE CREWS BUSY WITH PLOWS

The Hobart Mills—Sierraville highway was opened this week by the state crews under the direction of Superintendent Tom Buell, who also reported Highway 20 between Yuba Pass bridge on Highway 40 and Nevada City opened to traffic.

All state roads in the area are now open except the stretch from Meeks Bay to Richardsons at Lake Tahoe.

### AIR RAID TESTS ARE CONDUCTED HERE IN RECORD TIME

That Truckee is still very much on the alert in the air-raid warning set-up was indicated last night when a call was received from Reno at 8:01 p.m. and five minutes later at 8:06 every district had been contacted by Dispatcher Clarence Wray. The districts included Hobart Mills, Gateway Park, Emigrant Trail Lodge and the quarantine station.



## Politically Speaking

by JOHN W. DUNLAP  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

SACRAMENTO, April 15.—(UP)—The legislature has taken commendable steps to end some of the rackets that have cluttered up the right to put an initiative measure on the ballot.

It is a fact that many persons earn a good living by circulating initiative petitions. It occasionally amounts to what is known as a "shake down" which was far from the purpose of permitting the citizenry to put changes in the law on the ballot. The initiative was one of the progressive measures put over by Hiram Johnson but it has gone far afield since.

The attorney general's office learned that in the past four years nearly 200 initiatives were circulated but less than a dozen actually qualified for the ballot. So one of the bills passed would require a deposit of \$200 with the application for a summary title from the attorney general, which would be refunded if the proposition actually qualified.

It was pointed out that any sincere group with a legitimate initiative could procure the deposit but the fly-by-night promoters, thinking only of contributions or personal gain, would be discouraged. Senator Arthur Breed of Oakland put the measure through both houses.

The other measure would put a limit of six months on the time available to circulate petitions, as a means of avoiding long drawn out circulation schemes. After the attorney general has drawn up a summary title, the circulator has 90 days in which to submit the first report, and then a final 90 days to finish the work.

While it is true that an occasional minority group might be hindered in finishing up a petition, the general idea is sound.

Long months of painstaking work are represented in the report just submitted to the legislature by the joint fact-finding committee on un-American activities. The lengthy findings, and 18 recommendations, are worth the study and attention of the lawmakers as well as the public.

Main point was a recommendation that the army take over control of evacuated Japanese and that the state and federal legislation be enacted to block subversive activities.

It was also suggested that members of subversive groups and organizations should be denied public, and if possible, private employment.

Fourteen volumes were collected in the 30 days of evidence. The committee worked hard and did a good job. By coincidence, the report to the legislature was bound in brightest red paper available.

One of the hottest issues of the legislature may well be the McMillan bill to permit religious education during school hours, which has already passed the assembly. A lot of oratory has and will be spilled but the fundamental issue still remains whether religion and education will. Both sides have arguments, although it is said the proposition has not worked too well in other states. It seems to the opponents that parents have adequate opportunity for children to get religious education except during school hours. It was argued that parents are taking the trouble to get their children to Sunday school and church normally would not be likely to take advantage of the once-weekly period during school hours.

Advocates of the bill believe it will help curb juvenile delinquency. The same belief was expressed two years ago when the bill cleared to legislature but former Governor Culbert Olson spiked the movement with a veto message. Church groups are split over the proposition and have exerted pressure on the legislature.

Unfortunately, religions are something like pensions, war veterans and other issues of like character. Reason and logic are not always effective where fundamental beliefs are concerned, or where a potent ballot box influence is involved.

Governor Warren makes headlines whether he is in California or elsewhere. In the governor's conference in Salt Lake City, it was Warren whose quoted remarks drew most attention, featuring a plea for state rights and independence.

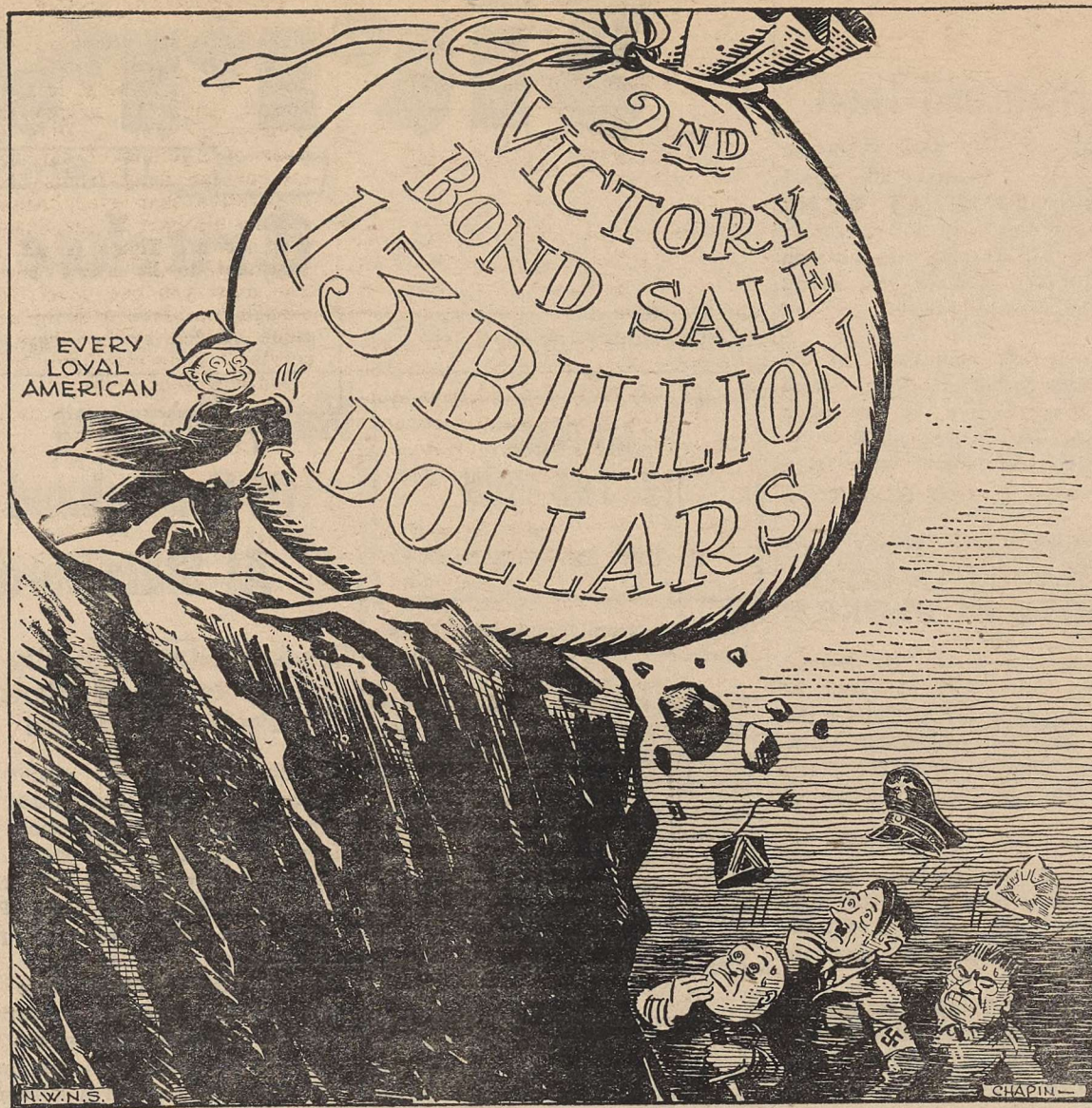
### Call Examinations

SACRAMENTO, April 15.—(UP)—Examinations will be held June 12 for the position of refrigeration engineer, the personal board has announced.

### Many Homes Mortgaged

SACRAMENTO, April 15.—(UP)—Of the 790,675 one-family, owner-occupied living units in California at the time the 1940 census, 404,907 or 51.2 per cent were mortgaged, state officials reveal on the basis of the last federal census. Farm properties were not included in the figures.

## Are YOU Helping to Push It Over?



## EDITORIAL

### HATS OFF TO HOOVER

There has been no major act of sabotage committed in this country since the war began.

That record is perhaps the most amazing fact of the year. When our nation entered the war most of us expected that the blowing up of some factories, munition works and railroad bridges would be inevitable. When nothing of the kind happened, we began to wonder if the office of censorship was hushing up such occurrences.

But a recent report of the Department of Justice makes it clear that we aren't being told about sabotage because there hasn't been any. Spies have been captured, saboteurs have been imprisoned, but none has been able to carry out his plans.

When we picture some of the tragic acts which could easily have been executed if it weren't for the vigilance of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, it is apparent that this nation owes a great debt of gratitude to J. Edgar Hoover, head of the FBI. He has so organized his bureau that foreign agents find it impossible to operate in the United States.

### HIDDEN HUNGER

Under food rationing we can still get enough to eat, but as we pull in our belts it will become increasingly important that we eat the things which will do us the most good.

What is often termed "hidden hunger," which means a deficiency of certain types of food from our diet which are needed for good health, can become a serious affliction during these times unless every one of us makes a determined effort to eat the things which are good for us.

During the next few months we will be flooded with information about correct eating. It is vitally important that we all heed this advice.

The government will advise us to eat something each day from one of each of seven basic nutrition groups of food. Group one consists largely of green and yellow vegetables. Group 2 includes oranges, tomatoes and grapefruit. Group 3 consists of potatoes and other vegetables and fruits. Group 4 includes milk and milk products. Group 5 includes meat, poultry and fish. Group 6 includes bread, flour and cereals. In group 7 are butter and fortified margarine.

### Huge Cash Excess

SACRAMENTO, April 15.—(UP)—California's cash excess increased more than \$16,000,000 in March, making the total now \$95,930,000. State Controller Harry B. Riley announced that a year ago the excess was \$90,201,897.

### Draft Call to Lessen

SACRAMENTO, April 15.—(UP)—Lt. Col. Kenneth Leitch, state director of selective service, announced that the April and May calls for California are "substantially lower" than for other previous months of 1943.

### Asks Bean Point Reduction

SACRAMENTO, April 15.—(UP)—A further reduction in the ration point value of California dry beans has been asked of the office of price administration by W. J. Cecil, state department of agriculture chief. Cecil said that unless ration points are lowered there is possibility that large quantities of dry beans in California warehouses will deteriorate in quality.

Thirteen billion dollars—the sum the Treasury must raise in the Second War Loan drive, is only one sixth of the estimated cost of the war for the fiscal year of 1943.



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## TAHOE LETTER

### To the Service Men

From SWANEE

Tahoe City, Calif.

Dear Tahoeites:

Another sunny Sunday, with the added attraction of the sound of traffic passing by the door, a real treat after having been cut off from the world in general for nearly three months. Although the highway is opened again, the rotary has not yet been sent in to throw the snow out of the way, so care is needed in driving in many spots. Much of the road is entirely dry where the sun shines down through the day, but there are also spots where icy ruts remain. Motorists should beware of falling rocks, as this is the season of the year when rock slides are worst.

Most commendable and gratifying is the total peak toward which Tahoe's Red Cross quota continues to soar... placing it far out in front of all districts in Placer County, and it may be in the entire state. At this writing Chairman Evelyn Bliss reports a total of \$1,555.72 has been forwarded to Auburn headquarters from the lake region, and there is every likelihood that still more will be added. This is 500 per cent of our original quota... a record which is giving every Tahoeite a just sense of pride in the loyal generosity of its residents. And, although she is reluctant to acknowledge it, all credit must be bestowed upon Mrs. Bliss, who secured a list of the names of Tahoe summer residents, in Auburn, and wrote and mailed unaided, numberless letters. Although she requested only a small donation from those who contribute in their home districts, she was moer than pleased at the generous and spontaneous response. And should there be any who have not yet done their share, their offerings will be most welcome at any time.

#### Gala Day for Southerners

Great rejoicing attended the opening of the highway south of town on Tuesday last the big V plow reach-

## PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO FORM TOPIC FOR MEETING AT LAKE

TAHOE CITY, April 15.—Public Schools Week will be observed at Tahoe with an old-fashioned community dinner to be held in the school auditorium at 6 p. m. on Saturday night, April 17. Mrs. Stanley Martin is chairman of the refreshment committee and all who are planning on attending are requested to get in touch with her at Tahoe City 63 and learn what they are to bring along for the supper menu. The Tahoe school orchestra will furnish music throughout the dinner hour, under the direction of their instructor Otto Fox. Other entertainment will be furnished by the children with several songs and a play scheduled. Moving pictures will be shown at the conclusion of the entertainment. Everyone is invited to attend and bring friends.

ing Sunnyside, our home, close to noontime. Friend husband, wishing to show the crew how grateful we were to be liberated once more, was on hand as they approached, with a fine big bottle of Welch's grapejuice to quench their thirst. It was a gala day for us southerners.

During the past week we had a bit of company, all eager to get around again and pay their respects. Among them were Tom Sisk and Robert Appleby from the King estate and Bob Harkness, our neighbor, who enjoyed chicken dinner with us... Dennis (Slim) Gordon, who has returned from Auburn and the bay region where he wintered, and Frank Boyer, caretaker at Tahoe Park, who enjoyed a game of pinocle and late refreshments... Rex Tollefsen and Bob Sayre... each taking son Jimmie to the show in Truckee... Mrs. Bessie Lemery and Stuart Vann of Sacramento, weekend guests at Bob Harkness' cottage... the Robert Wallaces and daughters, up from Truckee for an evening of pinocle... Henry Soll of Pine Lodge, a little lonesome since his wife has been visiting in Washington with her mother... and the James Wilsons of Tahoe Cedars and Reno.

## Tahoe Schools

Motion pictures shown in the local school auditorium Friday last included an interesting motorlog of the Columbia River highway.

Little Stanley Martin on Saturday last was given his first lesson on the violin by Otto Fox up from Auburn to give orchestra instructions.

Little Barbara Woolley of Reno is attending the Tahoe Lake school this summer.

Mrs. Myrtle Gallinger, principal of the Tahoe grammar school, announces that the U. S. Department of Agriculture is now subsidizing the food for school hot lunches. This new form of aid to the school children has been adopted since the dropping of the surplus commodities program. Money received from the federal government is used to buy and pay for commodities, all tags and bills being kept and a report sent the government which pays part of the cost. This cuts down the cost of delivery and gives a more balanced diet to the children. It is hoped eventually to attain the point of perfection England and other nations have reached in serving hot lunches, a practice since 1906.

Tahoe school trustees, Mrs. Northrup Pomin, Jay Schumacher and Mrs. Myrtle Gallinger and Mrs. Bliss Hinkle attended a trustees meeting at Auburn Tuesday night.

Mrs. Stella Watson who enjoyed the weekend in Auburn is again driving the school bus as far as the county line to the south of town once more now that the highway is reopened.

lovely new home in Reno, with nearly an acre of ground for garden. The latter recently purchased a They have fruit trees and a variety of growing vegetables which actually makes us envious. Jim has been working on war work at Lemmon Valley and his wife spending Sunday at their home at the lake.

Home again on Saturday from an enjoyable visit of several weeks with her sister in the southern part of the state was Mrs. E. R. Sayre of Meeks Bay.

## To Hasten Victory

No American wants this war to go one minute beyond the time we can bring it to a victorious end. To hasten that victory—to save possibly the lives of millions of our boys on our far flung fronts—it is imperative that every American do his part in the Second War Loan. There is an investment to fit every purse. The most you can do is little enough compared with the sacrifice offered by our boys in service. They give their lives—you lend your money.

### Duffees On Visit

The Joseph Duffees and daughter Eunice dashed in to Tahoe Saturday to take a look at their home in Lake Forest, but could not remain to visit with their friends as they had to return at once to Oakland again. They sent best fishes to all their neighbors and friends and promised to make another trip within a few weeks. They have at last found an apartment after several months of searching.

We regret sincerely that so few letters are reaching us from the boys in the service, but we realize that they are now engaged in far more important work than letter-writing and must wait until a break in that greatest of mortal storms brings to them a breathing space... and few minutes of relaxation. We know that wherever they may be they are doing their level best to aid in writing finis to the world's deadliest conflict... the last of its kind for generations to come, we pray.

### More Enlistments

Barstow Barnett, 17 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Barnett of Auburn, former well known residents of Tahoe, left on March 30 for San Diego where he enlisted in the U. S. Marines as a parachute trooper.

Billie Bechdolt appeared before his draft board on Monday in Auburn and will become a member of the ski troopers, his ability as a skier being an advantage in his chosen line. He will probably spend his seven day's leave at Tahoe where he has spent most of his spare time during the past few weeks climbing Mt. Ellis and other lofty slopes with his friends.

Carl Bechdolt, Jr., left the hospital last weekend and is now at his home in Reno. His condition, while much improved, is still critical. He has returned to normal diet, is able to move his limbs a little and is being given airings by members of his family in a wheel chair at present.

Last Sunday's Examiner carried pictures of Miss Geraldine Kendrick, daughter of Major and Mrs. Charles Kendrick of Tahoe Park and Mrs. Walter Trefts, Jr., former Tahoe girl and daughter of Mrs. Helen Park. Both young women were donors, at the San Francisco center of that 'painless pint' of blood, so desperately needed in the fight that saves lives of wounded men. Miss Kendrick is now awaiting orders that will send her to training school as a member of the Marine Corps Women's Reserve.

Rome Stark, second son of the Roy Starks of the Dollar estate, who has been enjoying a visit with his family here, is expecting a call any day now for army service. He is an aircraft worker.

Kathleen Starrat has left Tahoe for Alta, Utah, where she has accepted a position for the rest of the skiing season. She was accompanied by Miss Betty Woolsey, who has been visiting the Anderson family here. The girls expect to get in some fine skiing on the slopes surrounding this new winter sports resort during their spare time.

### Son Arrives

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pomin of Valejo, who underwent the sad loss of their only son a few weeks ago, on Wednesday, April 7, became parents of another little boy, weighing

## Tahoe Briefs

Mrs. D. M. Brodehl is home again after a visit with her daughter and family, the Robert Pomin, in Valejo. She plans soon to remain with them for several weeks.

Miss Lillian Vernon, daughter of the C. W. Vernons is home for a three weeks vacation with her folks. She plans to marry Harry Blanchard within the next few weeks. A rumor, circulated about town that she has stolen a march on her friends and was already married, was emphatically denied by the young woman and her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Dockham and two sons of the Fish Hatchery enjoyed a visit to Sacramento over the weekend and visited at the home of

over six pounds. Despite her recent bereavement and the shock which accompanied it, Violet and the baby are both doing nicely, according to her mother, Mrs. D. M. Brodehl. Duane Pomin and little Barbara Woolsey of Reno are now visiting at Grandmother and Grandfather E. H. Pomin's in town for a while.

And here's a smile to leave with you as I close the newsletter for another week, and it actually happened last week in high school classes at Tahoe.

Pupil to teacher (Mrs. Hinkle): "Where is Cowpen located?"

Mrs. H. deeply engrossed in official business: "Oh, I don't remember exactly right now... but you'll probably find it somewhere near Bull Run."

Plenty of laughter followed her snappy retort.

Best wishes from the hometown folks and keep your chins up, soldiers. Yours for Victory in 1943! SWANEE.

relatives. Mrs. Rose Boyiaredes is expected back to Tahoe this week to reopen her soda fountain and lunch room. She has been spending the winter at Placerville.

Members of the John Fulton family of Reno spent Sunday at the Fulton's Carnelian Bay summer home near the lake.

A. M. Anderson was a visitor in Reno Tuesday. While there he visited Mrs. Minnie Pomin of Idlewild now a patient at St. Mary's hospital where she appeared much improved and enjoying a sunning on the hospital roof.

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Buy an Additional Bond Today

**CHEST COLDS**  
To Ease Misery  
RUB ON **VICKS VAPORUB**

**LOYND'S TRUCKEE DRUG**  
Sierra Tavern Building  
Truckee Phone 139

**His Needs Come First!**

For years, Americans have been the world's most active telephone users. To maintain and steadily enlarge the Nation's network of Long Distance lines calls for huge amounts of metals and other materials.

Now those materials have gone to war. For "the duration," the telephone network must get along with about what it has. The soldier with his portable telephone in Africa, the marine with his rifle in the Solomons, the pilot over the Aleutians, need copper, steel and other things—need them more than their fellow-Americans do at home.

Because more telephone lines cannot be built at this time, we make this request:

That only really necessary calls be made to war-busy centers.

For your understanding and continued aid—our thanks!

The 13 Billion Dollar Second War Loan Drive is on. Invest in the cause of Freedom by buying WAR BONDS.

THE PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY  
Commercial Row \* Telephone Truckee 50



The nation's highways, too, are doing their part for victory. In addition to the large volume of military traffic, the buslines carried three-quarters of a billion passengers in 1942—nearly six times the population of the U.S. And still more are riding this year.

These millions are not traveling for scenery or pleasure. Most of them are selectees, military personnel, and war workers. Others are farmers, nurses, teachers—people in nearly every walk of life whose trips in some way or other are essential to the national welfare.

Greyhound is putting all its efforts, experience and resources into helping perform the biggest transportation job of all time. That is why our service to you now cannot always be what we would like to give, or what you have come to expect of Greyhound. We appreciate your patriotic

consideration of these conditions created by the war.

But when victory is won, travelers will be rewarded. Then you can look to Greyhound for a brand-new chapter in comfortable, convenient, enjoyable highway transportation.

#### WARTIME TRAVEL SUGGESTIONS

You will help the war effort and have a better trip if you do these things:

1. Consult your Greyhound agent for information and get your ticket in advance.
2. Travel in mid-week rather than on week-ends.
3. Carry as little baggage as possible.



**GREYHOUND**

SERVE AMERICA NOW... SO YOU CAN SEE AMERICA LATER

## TAXPAYERS - ATTENTION!

The second installment of property taxes for Nevada County is due and payable and becomes

DELINQUENT ON APRIL 20, 1943  
at 5 O'Clock P. M.

Unless paid prior to that time 3% will be added to the amount due, together with a further charge of 50 cents for each piece or parcel of land separately assessed and for each assessment of personal property. Taxes are payable at the Treasurer's Office, Nevada County Courthouse, Nevada City, Calif.

ELMA HECKER, Ex-Officio Tax Collector.



# Tahoe Briefs

Mrs. Annie Soll's mother, Mrs. A. B. Conrad of Tacoma, Washington, is reported much improved in health since her daughter's arrival to visit her.

Mrs. Bessie Lemery, niece of Bob Harkness of the Sunnyside district,

and owner of a large garage business at Sacramento, was a weekend visitor at Tahoe. She was accompanied by Stuart Vann of Sacramento. Harkness rode back to Sacramento with them on Sunday and will remain to visit for a week.

Tahoe Tavern will open for the summer June 26, according to an announcement by Matt Green. Glenn Green of Pasadena will be manager.

the beer with the high  
I.Q.  
(It Quenches!)



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BEER**

**BOTTLE SHORTAGE  
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Return "empties" to  
your dealer promptly,  
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The Coca-Cola Bottling  
Company of Truckee



## Buy More War Bonds Today

### ACRAMENTO WILL MEET PORTLAND IN LEAGUE OPENER

The horsehide will fly again this season at the opening game of the 1943 Pacific Coast League season gets under way at Cardinal Field in Sacramento this coming Sunday afternoon at 2:15 P. M. when the champion Solons play the Portland Beavers in the first game of the year.

The opening ceremonies are planned to give Sacramento fans their first taste of a Coast League championship flag raising after having been denied one for 39 years.

The game starts at 2:30 P. M.

#### Call Examinations

SACRAMENTO, April 15. —(UP)—Civil service examinations for junior and senior tomato canning standardization inspectors will be held on Thursday, April 29, in San Francisco, Los Angeles, Fresno, Stockton, San Jose and Sacramento, the state personnel board announced today.

## LEGAL NOTICES

Closing Order No. 87  
Department of Natural Resources  
State of California  
**ORDER CLOSING TROUT STREAM**  
For the purpose of further protecting trout with which the Fish and Game Commission has stocked the various waters of this State, of insuring their larger growth and better means of propagation, as well as providing an adequate supply of trout eggs for the various fish hatcheries of this State to the end of improving fishing conditions generally throughout the State;

Now, therefore, upon recommendation of the Fish and Game Commission of the State of California and pursuant to and by virtue of the authority vested in me by provisions of Section 629 of the Fish and Game Code, State of California, it is ordered that the following waters within the County of NEVADA, State of California, be and the same are hereby closed to trout fishing or the taking, killing or having of any trout therein or therefrom from and after the date hereof and during all times and seasons until such time as new legislation is enacted by the State Legislature or by further or other order of the Director of Natural Resources.

All of that portion of CANYON CREEK from its junction with the South Fork of Yuba River in Sec. 4, T 17 N., R 11 E, M. D. B. & M., to the downstream face of Bowman Dam in Sec. 5, T 18 N., R 12 E, M. D. B. & M.; all of said waters lying in T 17 N, R 11 E and T 18 N, R 11 & 12 E, M. D. B. & M.

It is further ordered that in addition to the publication of this order, as provided for by Section 631 of the Fish and Game Code, State of California, a copy hereof be posted at the Courthouse of said County at the place where notices are posted, pursuant to the provisions of Section 1200 of the Probate Code, State of California, or some other conspicuous place.

Given under my hand and seal this 5th day of April, 1943.

W. H. MOORE

Director of Natural Resources  
I, Earl Warren, Governor, do hereby give my consent to the above and foregoing order.

EARL WARREN

## NOTICE OF ELECTION For Members of the Governing Board of the Truckee Elementary School District

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the electors of the Truckee Precincts, Truckee Elementary School District of Nevada County, California, that the annual Election of members of the Board of Trustees of the Truckee Elementary School District will be held on the third Friday of May, viz, May 21, 1943.

It will be necessary to elect one member.

The polling place for said electors of the Truckee Precincts, Truckee Elementary School District will be at the Truckee Elementary School in the Truckee Elementary School District.

The polls will be open between the hours of Two O'Clock P. M. and Six O'Clock P. M.

The officers appointed to conduct the election in the above-named precincts are:

Mrs. Cora Maxsom, Inspector.  
Mrs. Lotta Bryant, Judge.  
Mrs. Crystal Nelson, Judge.

A description of the boundaries of these precincts is attached hereto and made a part hereof.

(Signed) Mrs. Dan D. Smith, Sec'y  
April 15, 1943 A15-22-29

## NOTICE OF ELECTION For Members of the Governing Board of the Meadow Lake Union High School District

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the electors of the Truckee Precincts, Meadow Lake Union High School District of Nevada County, California, that the Annual Election of members of the Board of Trustees of the Meadow Lake Union High School District will be held on the third Friday of May, viz, May 21, 1943.

It will be necessary to elect Two Members.

The polling place for said electors of the Truckee Precincts, Meadow Lake Union High School District will be at the Truckee Elementary School in the Truckee Elementary School District.

The polls will be open between the hours of Two O'Clock P. M. and Six O'Clock P. M.

The officers appointed to conduct the election in the above-named precincts are:

Mrs. Cora Maxsom, Inspector.  
Mrs. Lotta Bryant, Judge.  
Mrs. Crystal Nelson, Judge.

A description of the boundaries of these precincts is attached hereto and made a part hereof.

(Signed) C. B. White, Clerk  
April 15, 1943 A15-22-29

## Aid to Enemy

"Any American who willfully neglects to pay his taxes on time or to invest every cent he can in War Bonds is surely giving aid and comfort to the enemy. . . . We have a job to do and we are all called for service to our country. Our dollars are called to service too. Let us all ask ourselves, 'Shall we be more tender with our dollars than with the lives of our sons?' " — Secretary Morgenthau.

If every man, woman and child in the United States lays aside \$100 the aggregate will be about \$13,000,000,000 or the amount the Treasury must raise in its Second War Loan.

## SUMMER SCHOOL MAY PROVE TO BE

### STATE WIDE ATTRACTION AT LAKE

TAHOE CITY, April 15.—News of interest to this district came last weekend in the announcement by Harold E. Chastain, superintendent of Placer Union High Schools, that establishment of a summer school has been authorized at Tahoe City.

The term will start around June 18 and end around September 25, according to Mrs. Bliss Hinkle, principal at the Tahoe branch. A full semester's work will be taught and credits earned may be used toward graduation in any high school in the state. This is an advantage, as only limited courses are usually available.

Chastain stated he believed 150 students could be enrolled. It is planned to use part of the elementary and high school class rooms to accommodate the increased number of pupils. Additional teachers will be added as the necessity arises.

This Tahoe summer school will be a real innovation as there are only two others in the state, one at Pacific Grove and another at the University High School in Oakland.

Chastain has authorized a state wide publicity campaign to advertise the summer course program and a pinup folder giving all details as to housing facilities, etc., will be printed

for posting in all schools of the state. It is believed that a large number of young people, anxious to complete their education will take advantage of this opportunity to save time and will avail themselves of this war emergency measure.

Mrs. Hinkle believes the cooperative boarding house system would prove most satisfactory, although it is possible part time work in local resorts for some might also be asked. Definite plans for the housing of students has not been decided at this time, but it is believed here that the plan will be welcome news to many wishing to finish school and get into war work or some branch of the services.

Workers in a Michigan refinery fixed up a very low false door leading to the pay office. On it is inscribed, "You will learn to duck lower if you don't Buy a Bond."

If you haven't gotten around to buying a Second War Loan Bond, stop and think what it would mean to you if our soldiers hadn't gotten round to the fight.

## IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE IN THE SUN

### TO ALL OWNERS OR OCCUPANTS OF DWELLINGS AND BUSINESS PLACES WITHIN THE TRUCKEE SANITARY DISTRICT:

#### PROVISIONS OF ORDINANCE NO 4 OF THE TRUCKEE SANITARY DISTRICT ARE QUOTED BELOW AND WILL BE RIGIDLY ENFORCED

An approved metallic garbage can must be installed in each dwelling or business place.

All garbage must be placed in these cans.

The word "garbage" as used in this Ordinance shall be held to include tin cans, paper, rags, ashes and every refuse accumulation of animal, fruit or vegetable matter, liquid or otherwise, that attends the preparation, use, cooking, dealing in or storing of meat, fish, fowl, fruit or vegetables.

Garbage cans will be emptied twice a week from business places.

Garbage cans will be emptied once a week for residences.

Where it is necessary to empty cans more often than provided in the Ordinance an extra charge will be collected.

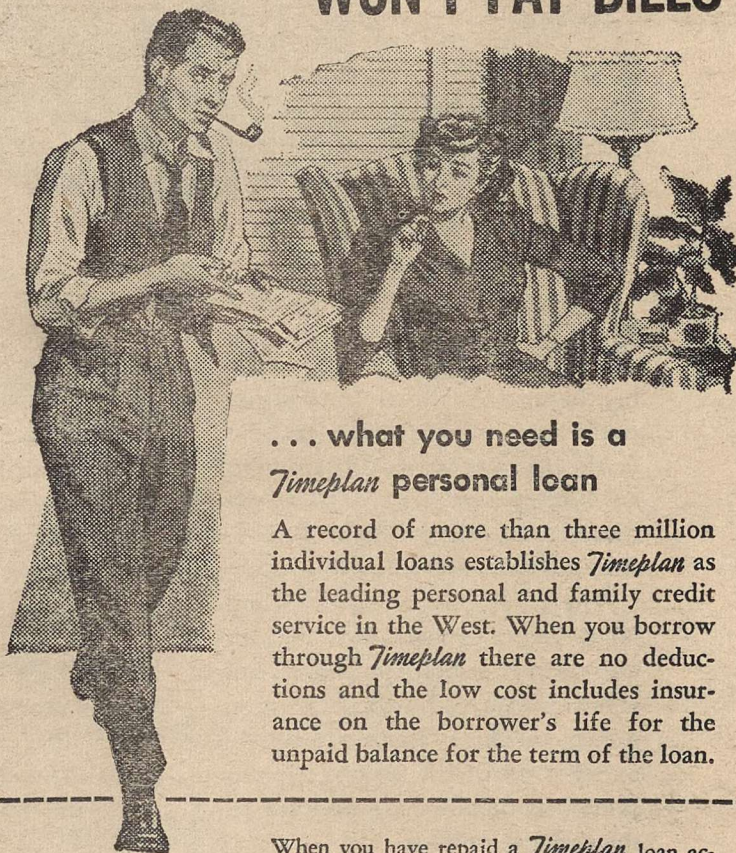
No unauthorized person shall interfere or remove any garbage from these cans.

Garbage cans must be kept in an accessible place.

Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine or imprisonment, or both, but no fine shall exceed the sum of \$100.00 and no such imprisonment shall exceed one month.

## TRUCKEE SANITARY BOARD

### WALKING AROUND IN CIRCLES WON'T PAY BILLS



#### ... what you need is a Timeplan personal loan

A record of more than three million individual loans establishes Timeplan as the leading personal and family credit service in the West. When you borrow through Timeplan there are no deductions and the low cost includes insurance on the borrower's life for the unpaid balance for the term of the loan.

When you have repaid a Timeplan loan according to its terms, you become known to the officials of your bank as a preferred borrower and are given a Bank of America preferred credit card. This card means that you have borrowed wisely and repaid well... that you have established your Timeplan bank credit for future financial needs.

Timeplan loans are available for the purchase of an automobile (as permitted by law) or you may borrow on your present car, paid for or not.

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## THE 2nd WAR LOAN DRIVE IS ON!

# How to invest in "fighting dollars!"



"Lend more money to help carry on the fight!" That's what our Government is asking you and all the rest of us . . . asking us to lend it 13 billion fighting dollars in the next few weeks! 13 billion extra dollars—over and above all regular War Bond buying!

We can do it . . . we must do it . . . we owe it to our boys who are fighting overseas. For their sake. . .

We've got to build more ships! We broke all records last year when we built 8 million tons of shipping. This year, we're building 13 million tons . . . but still it is not enough!

We've got to do more fighting! More and more of our soldiers and sailors are going into actual combat . . . requiring more equipment, and more supplies. We cannot let them down!

We've got to buy more War Bonds! To help pay for the things our fight-

ing men need . . . we've got to buy War Bonds as we never bought them before!

In the next few weeks you may be visited by one of the thousands of men and women who are giving their time and effort to the 2nd War Loan Drive. Welcome these patriotic workers if they call . . . buy from them all the War Bonds you can!

Better still, don't wait for them. Go to your nearest bank, post office, or War Bond booth, and invest more fighting dollars now! It's the least you can do to help those who are fighting and dying overseas!

Among the 7 different kinds of U. S. Government securities is one that exactly fits your own particular purse and requirements. These securities are the finest investment in the world . . . bar none! For your Country's sake . . . for your own sake . . . invest all you can!

## THEY GIVE THEIR LIVES... YOU LEND YOUR MONEY!

Riverside Hotel  
George's Restaurant  
Tonini Grocery  
Capitol Cafe  
Tourist Cafe  
Tony's Coffee Shop  
Loynd's Truckee Drug  
Truckee Shoe Shop  
Truckee Meat Market  
St. Louis Cafe  
Donner Theater  
Donner Garage

Truckee Garage  
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City Transfer  
Cottage Beauty Shop  
Truckee Pub. Utility Dist  
Truckee Coca-Cola Co.  
Sierra Pacific Power Co.  
Roy Feathers  
Besio Restaurant  
Truckee Mercantile Co.  
N. F. Dolley (Insurance)  
Truckee Restaurant

Gateway Motel  
Mary's Beauty Shop  
Donner Hotel  
Truckee Lumber Co.  
Mattos Ice & Beverage  
Lloyd's Variety Store  
Thornton's Garage  
Frank's Barber Shop  
Sportland Pool Hall  
Fontana's Laundry  
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## PRESIDENT OF PACIFIC TELEPHONE HAS REPORT FOR STOCKHOLDERS FOR YEAR

N. R. Powley, president of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co., in a statement accompanying the dividend checks mailed March 31 to common shareholders stated:

"While telephones in service continue to gain, it is becoming increasingly difficult to fill orders for new installations. Expect where spare facilities are available, government regulations in effect require that installations of new telephones may be made only for war and certain other essential purposes.

"Toll and long distance traffic continues to increase. Our intensive advertising campaign asking the public to refrain from placing unnecessary calls, particularly to war centers, is being continued. The public has our deep appreciation for its sympathetic understanding and co-operative attitude regarding this unprecedented telephone traffic problem with which we are confronted.

"Our request for curtailment in long distance usage and the limitation on telephone installations are made necessary by the restriction of new telephone construction because it requires substantial amounts of materials such as copper, aluminum, nickel and tin, which are critical materials vitally needed by our nation to take us through to victory and peace."

Commenting on the company's earnings, Powley stated:

"Our preliminary earnings statement shows for the first quarter of the year that operating taxes approximate a 30 per cent increase over the like period of 1942. Federal taxes alone increased 52 per cent. First quarter earnings on the common shares approximate \$1.60 per share compared with \$1.84 per share for the corresponding quarter of last year prior to the reflection in that quarter of the taxes imposed last October which were made retroactive to January 1, 1942. After such reflection, the earnings per common share

for the first quarter of 1942 were \$1.49 per share.

"While gross revenues are at high levels due to unprecedented volume of traffics, expenses, principally taxes and wages, the latter being 29 per cent over the corresponding quarter of last year, have pronouncedly increasing trends."

### REVISED CLASSIFICATIONS ARE ANNOUNCED UNDER LATEST SELECTIVE SERVICE

WASHINGTON, April 15.—(UP)—The revised draft classification announced Monday by selective service are:

1-A. Available for military service.  
1-A-O. Conscientious objector available for noncombatant military service.

1-C. Member of land or naval force of the United States.

2-AA. Man necessary in his essential civilian activity.

2-B. Man necessary to war production program.

2-C. Man deferred by reason of his agricultural occupation or endeavor.

3-A. Man with child or children deferred by reason of maintaining bona fide family relationship.

3-C. Man with dependants who is regularly engaged in agricultural occupation or endeavor.

3-D. Man deferred because induction would cause extreme hardship and privation to a wife, child, or parent with whom he maintains a bona fide family relationship.

4-A. Man 45 years old, or over, who is deferred by reason of age.

4-B. Official deferred by law.

4-C. Neutral aliens requesting relief from liability for training and service, and aliens not acceptable to the armed forces.

4-D. Minister of religion or divinity student.

4-E. Conscientious objector available for work of national importance.

4-F. Physically, mentally or morally unfit.

4-H. Man deferred because of his age, 38 through 45, is not being accepted for military service. Men in this group are now being classified according to their status in the above categories in case of eventual call.

## AMERICAN HEROES

BY LEFF



Pouring out a steady stream of machine gun fire, Corp. Leroy Diamond, U. S. M. C., and just two buddies stemmed a Jap advance on a Pacific Isle recently. One of the men, Pvt. John Rivers, was killed. Diamond and the other man were saved.

These men are willing to give their lives. The least we can do is lend our money. Buy Second War Loan Bonds.

U. S. Treasury Department

## BREWERY OFFICIAL GIVES CREDIT TO NEWSPAPERS FOR RECENT CAMPAIGN

"Newspaper advertising has again demonstrated its power to quickly change buying habits," stated Karl F. Schuster, president of Acme Breweries recently as his company was deluged with nationwide congratulation for being one of America's ten largest brewers. "When confronted with bottle cap rationing, we turned to newspaper advertising in the hope of converting people to the purchase of beer in quarts instead of previously popular 11-ounce bottles. So successful was our newspaper campaign on Victory Quarts that 1942 was the biggest year in Acme history, with a 28.7 per cent increase over 1941. This was not only proof of the educational power of newspaper advertising, but also of the patriotic manner in which the public responds to appeal for cooperation.

"With bottle caps rationed in order to conserve metals, and an unprecedented wartime demand for beer, it was necessary to show the public why it should buy in larger bottles and make one cap do the work of three. It was a big job, needing both words and pictures for dramatic, forceful presentation and newspapers seemed to us to be the logical medium. The sales figures justified our decision."

Only western beer ever to place among the "big 20" in the national beer field, Acme was 19th in national sales figures in 1939, advanced to 16th place in 1940, again went ahead in 1941 to 12 position, and with a total sales of more than 26 million

gallons, attained 10th place in 1942, according to preliminary figures compiled by Research Company of America. One of the west's largest users of newspaper space, Acme's advertising is prepared by Brisacher, Davis and Van Norden.

## Happy Landing



It takes considerable skill to make a parachute landing in heavily wooded terrain, but the parafiremen of the U. S. forest service are equal to the job. This man has just made a successful descent from the U.S.F.S. plane that flew him over the scene of a fire. Note mask to protect his face from being torn by branches.

The goal of the Second War Loan drive is 13 billion dollars. That is just about one fifth of the estimated increase of the Public Debt for the fiscal year of 1943.

"THEY GIVE THEIR LIVES—YOU LEND YOUR MONEY"  
Buy More War Bonds Today

## ABOVE the HULLABALOO

By LYTTLE HULL  
Big Business and Little Business

One of the current and popular types of baloney indulged in by gentlemen of the Left Wing, is to the effect that the big industries are purposely destroying the small ones and using the exigencies of war as their excuse for so doing. The facts would indicate that this "whispering campaign" is for the purpose of counteracting the public admiration and acclaim which the big American industries have fairly won by their magnificent accomplishments since Pearl Harbor.

A fundamental to totalitarian success is the elimination of the small businesses and the "destruction" of the middle classes. This was accomplished in Communist Russia years ago and is now very rapidly taking place in Germany and in Italy. The ultimate purpose is to centralize all business and industry and to regiment them under government control. The OWI reports that already in Germany 15,000 confectionery shops, 41,000 shops carrying textile goods, 17,000 drugstores and many other small kindred businesses have been ruthlessly wiped out.

So the Left Wing fights undercover to destroy the small businesses and makes us poor saps believe big business to be the black-browed villain.

The International Harvester company got mad recently and published a statement signed by its president, Fowler McCormick. It is captioned "20,001 Businesses" and opens with this paragraph: "International Harvester company is a big business. But it began in a one-room farm blacksmith shop, 112 years ago. Thousands of other American enterprises, from equally humble beginnings, have grown to national scope. That kind of growth has been typically American. We hope it will always be so."

It then proceeds to demonstrate the very obvious fact that as industry grows it must purchase necessary parts and assemblages, which it does not itself fabricate, from an ever-increasing circle of other—and usually smaller—factories. The statement says, "checking up, we have found that in the year before our country entered the war, we bought from more than 10,000 different businesses, most of them small. Our purchases during that year of 1941 amounted to just under \$200,000,000. During 1942, after we had entered on war production, we added almost 1,000 new companies to the list of those from whom we buy. During 1943 we will add more."

If the small businesses have to close down because of a shortage of raw materials or of their faulty distribution, the big businesses must suffer accordingly. If and as the thousand and one parts which big factories depend upon become increasingly difficult to acquire, big industry will be compelled to slow down in like ratio.

It is equally important for the big companies to keep alive the small and large businesses which market their wares. The Harvester statement goes on to say: "We have halted the sale of new farm machines through our company's relatively few retail outlets and distributed that business among adjacent dealers so that they might have the maximum possible volume of sales."

This great enterprise buys from 10,000 other enterprises—mostly small ones, and sells through 10,000 enterprises—mostly small ones. This is typical of most big industries. Whether or not they want to do it—they have to do it—"or else." And it is very unfair to the "long-haired boys" for Mr. McCormick to prick their pretty pink bubbles.

SHEET 3—EXHIBIT A  
TRUCKEE PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT  
ELECTRIC DEPARTMENT  
STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS  
From January 1, to December 31, 1942

RECEIPTS	
Cash Balance, January 1, 1942	\$ 5,043.83
Cash Received—All Sources	25,666.71
	\$ 30,710.54

DISBURSEMENTS	
Cash Investment:	
Pole and Line Equipment	\$ 314.48
Transformers	283.62
Service Installations	174.54
Street Lighting	317.66
Truck	9.33
	1,099.63
	\$29,610.91
Operating Expenses:	
Purchase of Electric Energy	\$11,179.58
Repairs and Replacements	890.40
Transportation	93.01
Salaries:	
Manager	\$3,120.00
Directors' Fees	180.00
Auditor and Treasurer	240.00
Office Salaries	134.00
	3,674.00
Heat, Water and Rent	570.68
Advertising and Promotion	317.74
Telephone and Telegraph	71.46
Office Supplies	215.85
Bonds and Insurance	392.82
Legal and Audit Fees	685.00
	18,090.52
	\$11,520.39

Other Disbursements:

Prepaid Interest	\$ 189.40
Refunds on Customers' Deposits	360.14
Redemption of Bonds	2,000.00
Bond Interest	361.50
Purchase of U. S. War Bond	1,000.00
Community Contribution	634.47
Cash Advance to Water Department	15.79
	4,561.30

Cash Balance December 31, 1941 \$ 6,959.09

Represented By:

Cash on Hand—Office Fund	\$ 50.00
Deposits in Bank of America, Truckee, California	6,908.09
	\$ 6,958.09

SHEET 4—EXHIBIT A  
TRUCKEE PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT  
WATER DEPARTMENT  
STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS  
From January 1, to December 31, 1942

RECEIPTS	
Cash Balance, January 1, 1942	\$ 215.74
Cash Received:	
From Sale of Water and Miscellaneous	380.33
Total Cash	\$ 596.07

DISBURSEMENTS	
Cash Investment:	
Service Lines	\$ 36.50
Pumping Plant	60.08
	96.58
Cash Balance, December 31, 1942	\$ 499.49

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**Entertain Friends—**

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Nielsen entertained friends from Reno at their Sunnyside home Sunday. A picnic lunch was enjoyed. The guests for the day were Mr. and Mrs. George Pipen, Mr. and Mrs. William Dean and Jack Bonnafant.

**Has Severe Cold—**

Mrs. Elsa Powell has been ill with a severe cold at her home.

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**Church Notes**

**Community Church**  
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10 a.m. Sunday school session. Classes for all ages. The children enjoy themselves from the beginning of the song service to the end of the hour. Adults: there is a place for you too and the children will be happier with you there.

11 a.m. Morning worship. It being Palm Sunday, the speaker has chosen to consider the topic of the Triumphal Entry. Let us assemble ourselves together.

There will be a short Good Friday service through the noon hour.

**PROGRAM AIMS TO SALVAGE MILLIONS OF STRAY BOTTLES**

A program to retrieve more than 100,000,000 stray bottles to help relieve the threatened shortage of returnable containers in the western states was announced here today.

The campaign, planned with the approval of state officials, will be spearheaded with an intensive drive from April 19 to April 24. Sponsoring the program are representatives of all bottler's associations and dairies all over the area. Members of retail groups are also participating.

The drive will seek to uncover returnable bottles of all types, including containers for carbonated beverages, milk and beer. Patriotic citizens are requested to round up all stray deposit containers and return them to the source from which they were purchased.

**Truckee Always Home—**

Orlan Sanders writes from Sunnyvale that he enjoys reading about the old gang and just what they are doing at home. He remarks that Truckee will always be home to him although he is now engaged in war work in the bay area.

**Opening Resort—**

Theodore Schleuter, resort owner at Tahoe has reopened his place for the summer. He has been working in Oakland during the winter but is glad to return to this region where he was greeted by scores of friends.

**Standard Man Here—**

Ernest Pinelli of Reno and former Truckee resident, was here Tuesday meeting local friends while on a business trip for the Standard Oil Company.

**In Sacramento—**

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. White were the guests of their son and daughter in law, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard White at Sacramento Sunday.

**Fly up for Visit—**

Leland Laity made the trip from San Francisco by plane to spend the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Laity.

**Working in Reno—**

W. H. Laity is employed with the Ross Burke Funeral Home at Reno, working nights. He is also handling his local work.

**Placerville Guests—**

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bonnanfant, Jack Bonnanfant of Delleker and Mr. and Mrs. Chris Nielsen of Tahoe and Reno were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Madden at Placerville.

**To Springs—**

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Feathers left for Calistoga this week where they expect to be benefitted by a two weeks vacation.

**Decorating—**

Mrs. Edith Fay of the Riverside Hotel in having the hotel interior and Mary's Beauty Shop renovated and decorated this week.

**Working in Defense**

Frank A. Clark wrote this week that he is working steadily at Alameda in defense work. He has two sons in the service.

**Visits Sister—**

McIntyre Gates spent Sunday in San Francisco with his sister, Miss Elizabeth Gates.

What pleasures have you denied yourself to buy Second War Loan Bonds?

**AGED PINE TREE IN HOBART AREA IS DOWNED BY AXES**

Evidence that veterans of the forest may be found among pine trees as well as the redwoods was found in the recent falling of a partially dead Ponderosa pine on the Tahoe National Forest near Hobart Mills. The tree was calculated by Ranger Hobart I. Snider to be 680 years old.

The old timer was not considered good for mill lumber during the days when Hobart Mills was operating as it gave evidence of having a defective center and a dead top. It had been struck by lightning twice and the rangers feared the next time a stroke hit it it might ignite and cause a troublesome fire.

This tree, Snider said, was an old timer, 229 years old when Columbus landed on America and would probably have stood many years if it had not been better business to fall it now and remove a fire hazard and furnish the Truckee Ranger station with a wood supply during the war.

**To Reno for Treatment—**

Mrs. Charles Swanson of Tahoe was in Truckee Tuesday en route to Reno where she will receive medical treatment.

**Laity Guests—**

Mrs. Esther Brown and children of Smith Valley, Nevada, have been the guests of Mrs. W. H. Laity this week. Mrs. Brown was a former teacher in the grammar school here.

**COFFEE JARS ARE USEFUL FOR CANNING**

Housewives throughout the country who have been the subject of husbandly ridicule for saving those empty glass coffee jars and metal caps "just in case" today have the last laugh.

One of the country's largest glass manufacturers has announced production of a new type of thrifty lid designed to convert regulation coffee jars into ideal containers for home-preserving.

**Classified Ads**

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**CARD OF THANKS**

To all the fraternal organizations, clubs, individuals and coworkers for their generous response during the recent Red Cross War Fund Drive, my sincere thanks.

Laura Gaiennie, chairman.

**Goss Family Here—**

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Goss and son, Blake of Pleasanton, who reside at Tahoe, were here Monday after a visit with their daughter and her husband in Reno. Blake has been recalled to the navy and expected to be in this week. Both Mr. and Mrs. Goss are employed at Pleasanton.

**In Hospital—**

J. F. Lichtenberger left for the Southern Pacific Hospital Sunday. He has been ill for some time.



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**ARABIAN NIGHTS**  
Sabri Maria Montez Jon Hall

—Also—  
**ANDY PANDY CARTOON— CANADIAN PATROL — NEWS**

**Wednesday, April 21**  
**MARGIN FOR ERROR**  
Joan Bennett Milton Berle

—Also—  
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